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OWOMUSE UTILITY ☐ visit of David Kahn to UTILITY.1. UTILITY HAS ADVISED ☐ (WHOM HE MET PER☐ INTRODUCTION 9 JULY) THAT DAVID KAHN ☐

AMERICAN AMATEUR CRYPTOLOGIST AND AUTHOR, HAS REQUESTED
INTERVIEW WITH HIM WEEK 27 JULY. KAHN STATES HE WRITING
BOOK ON WW II GERMAN INTELLIGENCE, HAS BEEN RESEARCHING
GERMAN MILITARY ARCHIVES IN FREIBURG, NOW STATING MUNICH
AND SEEKS APPOINTMENT UTILITY.

2. UTILITY WOULD APPRECIATE, PRIOR MEETING KAHN,
HQS READING ON KAHN AND ANY SECURITY RESTRICTIONS HQS
FEELS SHOULD BE PLACED ON HIS INTERVIEW. WE TEND ACCEPT
THIS AT FACE VALUE IN CONTEXT APPARENT UTILITY DESIRE
CONTINUE LOW KEY RELATIONSHIP ☐ AND REQUEST ANY
GUIDANCE HQS CAN GIVE US FOR PASSAGE UTILITY, IF POSSIBLE
PRIOR 28 JULY.

3. ☐ MENTIONED KAHN IN LIGHT VEIN DURING
INTRODUCTORY SESSION WITH ☐ 21 JULY BUT PASSED HIM
OFF WITH REMARK THAT HE HOPED KAHN WOULD BE SATISFIED WITH

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FREIBURG RESEARCHES AND NOT BOTHER [1 ONLY [I TRACE,

APART FROM RECOLLECTIONS HIS MAGNUM OPUS ON AMERICAN
 CRYPTANALYTIC EFFORT, IS CARD REF TO EGMA 56075, 8 SEP 61,
 WHICH NOT HELPFUL.

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